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TO AMEMBASSY PARIS IMMEDIATE

INFO AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD IMMEDIATE

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TAGS: PERP, MNUC, TECH, MILI, PK, FR, US

SUBJECT: FRENCH COMPLAINT CONCERNING US ACTION ON  
PAKISTAN REPROCESSING PLANT

REFS: A. PARIS 24112, B. ISLAMABAD 7464

1. WE NOTE JACOMET'S COMPLAINT IN REF A AND HIS  
ASSURANCE THAT THIS INCIDENT WOULD NOT TROUBLE THE  
OVERALL US-FRENCH RELATIONSHIP ON THE REPROCESSING ISSUE.

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NEVERTHELESS, WE WOULD NOT WANT THIS DEVELOPMENT TO COLOR  
OUR IMPORTANT COOPERATION WITH FRENCH. WE BELIEVE  
AMBASSADOR'S HANDLING OF SITUATION REF B WAS ON TARGET.  
IF YOU BELIEVE IT WOULD BE HELPFUL, YOU MIGHT WANT TO  
DRAW ON REF B PARA 2 TO EXPLAIN INCIDENT TO JACOMET. ON  
OTHER HAND, IF YOU BELIEVE IT BEST TO LET ISSUE DROP,  
YOU NEED NOT REOPEN IT WITH JACOMET.

2. REFTEL B BEING REPEATED TO PARIS SEPARATELY. VANCE

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